## CHAPTER 289

### PEOPLES' GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY LEGALIZED

S. F. 39

AN ACT to legalize the corporate acts, and proceedings in connection with the requalification in Iowa of Peoples' Gas & Electric Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the law of the state of Delaware, and to provide for re-qualification of such company as a foreign corporation in the state of Iowa.

WHEREAS, Peoples' Gas & Electric Company is a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the law of the State of Delaware, having perpetual existence under the terms of its charter; and,

WHEREAS, said Peoples' Gas & Electric Company was heretofore duly qualified and authorized to do business in the State of Iowa as a foreign corporation, such qualification having expired on September 29, 1946; and,

WHEREAS, through inadvertence Peoples' Gas & Electric Company did not file its application to re-qualify as a foreign corporation under the provisions of Chapter 494 of the Code of Iowa, 1946, within the time limitation prescribed therefor; and,

WHEREAS, Peoples' Gas & Electric Company has continued to conduct its business and affairs in the State of Iowa as a corporation; and,

Whereas, Peoples' Gas & Electric Company, pursuant to due action of its stockholders and board of directors theretofore taken, on the 9th day of February, A. D. 1948, filed its application for re-qualification as a foreign corporation in the State of Iowa perpetually from and after September 29, 1946, with the secretary of state of the State of Iowa, paid all statutory fees required therefor and otherwise in all respects complied with the provisions of the statutes of the State of Iowa relating to qualification and re-qualification of foreign corporations in the State of Iowa, and the secretary of state, on February 9, 1948, issued a certificate of requalification to Peoples' Gas & Electric Company effective perpetually from September 29, 1946, subject however to an appropriate legalizing act of the Fifty-third General Assembly; now, therefore,

#### Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That all proceedings had with respect to the re-qualification of Peoples' Gas & Electric Company, a corporation duly 3 organized and existing under the law of the State of Delaware, with a place of business in the City of Mason City, Iowa, as a foreign corpora-4 tion authorized to do business in the State of Iowa perpetually from 5 and after September 29, A. D. 1946, and all corporate acts of said cor-6 7 poration, its officers and directors, within the State of Iowa, since 8 the expiration of its former re-qualification as a foreign corporation in the State of Iowa on September 29, A. D. 1946, are hereby legalized 10 and declared to be of the same force and effect as though the said proceedings had been adopted and taken pursuant to law and within 11 12 the time prescribed by the statute, and all corporate acts and proceedings of the said corporation and its officers and directors, including 13 the proceedings in connection with the application for and re-qualifi-14 15 cation of Peoples' Gas & Electric Company as a foreign corporation in the State of Iowa, are hereby declared to be valid and legal. 16

- That all acts and doings of the secretary of state in heretofore acknowledging, filing and recording the application for requalification heretofore made and delivered to him by Peoples' Gas & Electric Company, together with all other documents, instruments and certificates incident thereto, and all acts done by him relating to the re-qualification of said corporation as a foreign corporation in the State of Iowa, are hereby declared to be valid and legal; and the certificate of re-qualification issued by the secretary of state to Peoples' Gas & Electric Company under date of February 9, 1948, authorizing said corporation, as a foreign corporation, to transact business within the State of Iowa perpetually from and after Sep-10 11 12 tember 29, A. D. 1946, is hereby declared to be in all respects valid and 13 legal and shall in all respects have the same force and effect as though issued upon proper and timely application by said corporation. 14
  - SEC. 3. Nothing in this act shall be deemed or construed to effect\* pending litigation, if any, involving said corporation.
- SEC. 4. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in the Clear Lake Reporter, a newspaper published at Clear Lake, Iowa, and the Clear Lake Mirror, a newspaper published at Clear Lake, Iowa, without expense to the State of Iowa.

Approved March 16, 1949.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Clear Lake Reporter, March 24, 1949, and in the Clear Lake Mirror, March 24, 1949.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 290

# STRAND BAKING COMPANY LEGALIZING ACT S. F. 217

AN ACT to legalize the corporate acts and proceedings in connection with the renewal of the corporate existence and the adoption of amended, substituted and renewed articles of incorporation of Strand Baking Company, and to provide for the renewal of the charter of said company.

Whereas, the period of the corporate existence of the Strand Baking Company, a corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Iowa, with its principal place of business in the City of Marshalltown, Iowa, expired on the 31st day of July, 1944, and through inadvertence the same was not renewed within the period prescribed by statute, and

WHEREAS, the Strand Baking Company has continued thereafter to conduct its business and affairs as a corporation, and

WHEREAS, on the 29th day of January, 1949, a special meeting of the stockholders was called and held, with 100% of the corporate stock being represented, for the purpose of extending and renewing the said corporation for a period of twenty years from the 31st day of July, 1944, and adopting the amended, substituted and renewed articles of incorporation, and

<sup>\*</sup>According to enrolled Act.